



L I N C O L N E L E C T R I C S Y S T E M

November 7, 2008

Joan E. Ross
City Clerk
City-County Building
555 South 10th Street
Lincoln, NE 68508

Dear Joan:

Please find enclosed a request for resolution, fact sheet, and draft resolution for the City Council's consideration of the Lincoln Electric System (LES) Operating and Capital Improvements Budget for calendar year 2009. The 2009 LES Budget is scheduled to be voted upon by the LES Administrative Board on November 14, 2008.

We have proposed the following schedule for your consideration of the 2009 LES Budget:

- Monday, November 17 - Introduction of LES budget resolution
- Monday, December 1 - Public Hearing on LES budget resolution at City Council meeting
- Monday, December 15 - City Council action on the LES budget resolution

If you have any questions, please e-mail me at ssahling@les.com or call me at 473-3204. The remaining materials will be forthcoming.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shelley R. Sahling-Zart".

Shelley R. Sahling-Zart
Vice President & Assistant Counsel

SRS:cls

Enclosures

c: Tammy Grammer

GENERAL
FACT SHEET

08R-302
BILL NUMBER

BRIEF TITLE	APPROVAL DEADLINE	REASON
LES 2009 Budget Resolution	12/31/08	

DETAILS		POSITIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS	
<p>Reason for Legislation</p> <p>Adopting Lincoln Electric System (LES)</p> <p>Annual Budget for 2009 to become effective January 1, 2009.</p>		Sponsor	
		Programs, Departments, or Groups Affected	
		Applicants/Proponents	<p>Applicant</p> <p>City Department</p> <p>Other</p>
<p>Discussion (Including Relationship to other Council Actions)</p> <p>The LES 2009 Annual Budget is scheduled for approval by the LES Administrative Board at its scheduled meeting of November 14, 2008.</p>		Opponents	<p>Groups or Individuals</p> <p>Basis of Opposition</p>
		Staff Recommendation	<input type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against Reason Against
		Board or Commission Recommendation	<p>BY</p> <input type="checkbox"/> For <input type="checkbox"/> Against <input type="checkbox"/> No Action Taken <input type="checkbox"/> For with revisions or conditions (See Details column for conditions)
<p>CITY COUNCIL ACTIONS</p> <p>(FOR COUNCIL USE ONLY)</p>		<input type="checkbox"/> PASS <input type="checkbox"/> PASS (AS AMENDED) <input type="checkbox"/> COUNCIL SUB. <input type="checkbox"/> WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION <input type="checkbox"/> HOLD <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT PASS	